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TWO BALLOTS.

Grant Had Twenty-seven
Votes Too Few.

Short Vote is What Made the
Changes All 'Round.

Legislature is Getting Down to
Business and Work.

Bills of Interest to Los Angeles
County Passed—For the Canal
and Against Robert's Attack
Question—Many New Bills.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
SACRAMENTO, Feb. 1.—[Exclusive
Dispatch.] U. S. Grant was within
twenty-seven votes of election to the
United States Senate today. This was
not due to any change of opinions, for
all the factions stood pat, as they have
done heretofore, but the crisis was
brought about by a short vote, only
ninety-seven members voting on one
ballot and ninety-six on the other. One
reason for this falling off was the fact
that each house had appointed a com-
mittee to attend the funeral of Senator
John Boggs, and this joint committee
was absent from the joint convention.
The first ballot gave the leaders the
following vote: Grant, 22; Burns, 19.
Only forty-nine votes were needed to
elect. It was some seconds before the
leaders realized the significance of the
situation, but they apparently had con-
fidence in the strength of their lines,
for when a motion was made to ad-
journ, Dibble and Shortridge hastened
about the chamber advising their fol-
lowers to vote against it. A pair was
hastily arranged by the Burns people
with Radcliffe of the Grant camp for
one of "Mexican Dan's" absent sup-
porters, and the motion to adjourn was
defeated by 46 to 51.

On the second ballot, consequently
only ninety-six votes were cast, one
vote disappearing from the Grant col-
umn. As it was evident that no stamp-
ede was forthcoming, the joint con-
vention, on motion of Dibble, voted,
viva voce, to adjourn.

It has been thought that the Burns
leaders expect to catch the Grant
forces napping, with a small attend-
ance some day, and consequently, the
membership of all junketing commit-
tees and all leaves of absence will be
closely scrutinized by the new Advisory
Committee of the Grant people. As-
semblyman Chynoweth, who is a mem-
ber of experience and absolutely fear-
less, will straighten out all tangles for
the Grant people on the floor, assisted,
of course, by Radcliffe, Crowder and
other members of the Advisory Com-
mittee.

Mr. Chynoweth says there will be
no opposition to all the roll calls that
the Burns forces may desire in a day,
and no motion to adjourn from that
side will be voted down, unless good
policy should dictate otherwise. It is
proposed to give Burns all the rope he
wants, for he is beaten on straight tac-
tics, an old hand at tricksy his
efforts will be "coppered."

WRIGHT FOR BURNS.
Ex-Speaker Wright was in his seat
today and voted for Burns. He is
singing rather small for him, and when
he tried to adjourn the House this af-
ternoon, with a dash of something like
bravado, and the House refused to be
adjourned, he sank back in his chair
disappointed. Speaker Anderson resigned
the chairmanship of the Committee on
Corporation, and appointed Raub his
successor, making Wright a member.
There had been some speculation as to
whether Anderson would shock public
opinion by making Wright chairman of
this important committee.

Anderson appointed Marvin to suc-
ceed him as a member of the Public
Health and Quarantine Committee, and
gave Wright the places he (Anderson)
had filled on the Committees on Dairy
Interests and Fish and Game. The
Speaker failed to fill the vacancy on
the Public Health Committee, caused
by his resignation, and when this was
called to his attention by the Times
correspondent, he said it was
an oversight, but declined to state
whether he would put Wright in that
place or not.

INTEREST LOS ANGELES.

Several bills of interest to Los An-
geles county were passed this afternoon,
and the members are beginning to feel
that work is picking up. Among the
bills passed were two by Miller relat-
ing to liens, which bills were designed
for the protection of artisan well own-
ers; by Conroy, specifying how the
funds of insurance companies may be
invested; and by Melick, allowing cities
of the sixth class to have cemeteries
outside their boundaries.

This latter bill was sent here by the
City Council of Santa Monica, and gets
that city out of a tangle. Redondo is
also interested in it.
Melick, acting on the request of
Street Superintendent Buchanan of
Pasadena, will go before the Commit-
tee on Municipal Corporations to sug-

MILES'S TURN.

Commanding General is
in Danger Now.

His Official Head Said to Be
Ready for the Ax.

Bad Beef Statement Expected to
Lead to Court-martial.

Offended the President and Will Be
Called Upon for Proof—No More
Mud-slinging—Placed in a Hole,
John Sherman in It.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—[Exclusive
Dispatch.] Gen. Miles stands tonight
in danger of having his official head
chopped off for his statement, issued in
New York last night, regarding em-
balmment beef for the army. President
McKinley has concluded that he will
stand no more public mud-slinging
from any part of the army, and he is
very angry with Gen. Miles for the
manner in which he announced this
latest embalmment beef statement.
The President believes that Gen.
Miles's action in accusing one branch
of the War Department of giving em-
balmment beef to soldiers was as pre-
judicial to discipline in the army as was
Gen. Eagan's action in going upon the
witness stand and swearing that Gen.
Miles was all kinds of a liar.

It is pretty certain that Gen. Miles
will be called upon either by court-
martial or by a court of inquiry to
prove his statements, and proving them
may not save him. If he has such in-
formation the President believes that
there was a proper and orderly way
for him to bring out the fact without
going into print and slinging mud.

The War Investigating Commission
is set into a deep hole by Gen. Miles's
statement, however. Its report, find-
ing that the beef was all right, has
been prepared and is about ready for
publication. Now here comes Miles,
declaring that he has proof to the con-
trary. That fact has caused the com-
mission to withhold its report until
something can be done to make things
jibe better.

If Gen. Miles is after Alger, he is
hunting game too big for him, for Alger
has stood severer storms, and will
stand this one. The general belief is
that John Sherman is coaching Gen.
Miles in this attack, as he coached
him in a previous one for the double
purpose of hitting Alger and at
President McKinley.

NOT HIS FIRST EFFORT.

Eagan Called Roosevelt a "Liar" Be-
fore "Naming" Miles.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—[Exclusive
Dispatch.] Gen. Miles was not the first
man Gen. Eagan called a variegated
liar, and the publication today of a
letter written by him to Robert B.
Roosevelt in July last, lessens the
weight of his excuse about goading
before the court-martial.
Roosevelt is a friend of the enlisted
men, and on July 22 wrote a public
letter urging reform in the commis-
sary department. Eagan four days

DO NOT KNOW.

Both Sides Guessing on
Peace Treaty.

Some Bad Generalship Apparent
For and Against It.

Defeat This Session not Vital to
the Document Anyway.

No Vote Reached Upon Any Pending
Resolutions Relating to Expan-
sion—House Progressing With
River and Harbor Bill.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—[Exclusive
Dispatch.] It is a game of see saw
with the peace treaty in the Senate,
which indicates that there is some bad
generalship on both sides of the con-
troversy. Senator Davis hangs onto
his statement that he has sixty-two
votes for the treaty, or two more than
enough to ratify it.
Against that statement are two
others. One is from Senator Hoar of
Massachusetts, that the treaty needs
seven more votes for ratification. The
other is from Senator Caffery of Louisi-
ana, that the treaty needs eight more
votes for ratification.

In every case the names are given
of those who will and will not vote for
the treaty, while the men who are
claimed by both sides content them-
selves with sitting upon the fence and
waiting for the vote before going on
record. That keeps both sides in-
formed and adds zeal to the proceeding.
The whole fight hangs upon whether
the Senate will or will not pass the
Bacon or Sullivan resolution binding
the government to a course of action
toward the Philippines, and declaring
against permanently holding them.
Senator Davis will permit no such
resolution to pass, and he takes only
a majority vote to defeat it, he holds
the key to this particular situation.

The opponents to the treaty have
agreed that if such a resolution is
adopted they will see that the treaty is
ratified. Senator Davis replies by tel-
ling them that he is perfectly willing to
have a vote upon such a resolution.
He told them so in open session today,
but the "antis" know well enough that
he intended to defeat it, which was
correct.

The matter seems to be that neither
Davis nor the opponents know ex-
actly what will happen when the treaty
comes to a vote, and Senator Davis has
reached a point where he does not
care very much. If the treaty is re-
jected, the vote declining it can be re-
considered and the treaty sent back to
the Committee on Foreign Relations, or
it can simply be sent to the President
at an extra session, which, tonight,
seems likely will be called anyway for
the finishing up of important business.

Defeat of the treaty this session, if
it is defeated, does not amount to very
much, and it is in no way vital to the
document.

SULLIVAN'S RESOLUTION.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—[Exclusive
Dispatch.] It is probable that the Sen-
ate will tomorrow pass the resolution
of Senator Sullivan of Mississippi pro-
viding that "ratification of the pending
treaty with Spain shall in no wise de-
termine the policy to be pursued in
regard to the Philippines, nor shall it
commit this government to a colonial
policy, nor is it intended to embarrass
the establishment of a stable, indepen-
dent government by the people of those
islands, whenever conditions make
such proceeding hopeful of success and
desirable results."

The decision of the advocates of the
treaty to allow this resolution to come
to a vote is intended to secure
leave no stone unturned to a de-
cise enough votes for ratification. Fifty-
eight votes are now pledged and at
least two will be obtained, it is be-
lieved, by the passage of the Sullivan
resolution, which, while it really
means nothing, will serve to ease the
conscience of certain hesitating Sen-
ators. The author of the resolution
thinks that its passage will add at
least three votes to the ratification
column and if he is correct in this
estimate the success of the treaty is
already assured.

SENATE AND HOUSE.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—For a few
minutes in the Senate this afternoon
it seemed likely that a vote might be
taken on one or more of the pending
resolutions relating to expansion. An
unusually large number of Republi-
can Senators was in attendance, all
of them having been notified to be
present in the event of a critical vote
on the pending question.
Mr. Bacon of Georgia had called up
his resolutions, and Mr. Chandler of
New Hampshire had withdrawn his
motion to refer them to the Commit-
tee on Foreign Relations.
Mr. Sullivan of Mississippi had en-
tered a motion to substitute his resolu-
tions for those of Mr. Bacon, while
Mr. Davis, chairman of the Foreign
Relations Committee, had announced
that he was willing that a vote should
be taken immediately. As it was evi-
dent, however, that a vote on the resolu-
tions and amendments could not be
taken before 2 o'clock—the hour fixed

TRY FOR A BREAKWATER

Former's Effort to Have Such
Provision Placed in River and Har-
bor Bill Met With Straight Talk
from the Chairman—Amendments
Were Exchanged and the Amend-
ment Voted Out.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—[Exclusive
Dispatch.] There was a hot fight in
the House for a moment today, and
after it was over Congressman Barlow
of the Seventh California District re-
tired from the field with the scars of an
unwon battle. He made a good ef-
fort to have placed in the Rivers and
Harbors Bill, for Wilmington, or the
inside harbor of San Pedro, a provision
for a breakwater as a protection against
the waves. He explained that this work
was but a continuation of the project
upon which the government already
had spent nearly a million dollars, and
with this work complete ships with
twenty-five feet draft could come into
the harbor.

Chairman Burton raised the point that
there was no report of the engineers
in favor of the improvement, and in
addition said there was no use in the
improvement, and that it was only a
revival of the old fight between the
rival harbors, closing with the remark
that California should settle its troubles
at home, and then come to Congress
for appropriations.
This caused the fighting blood in
Barlow, and he declared that the San
Pedro fight was the only one in which
the people had won, and further said
that though there was some money
yet unspent there, it was due to the
fact that the Secretary of War was
opposed to any work at Wilmington.
He declared in view of the possessions
of the nation in the Orient that with
a deep harbor at San Pedro the city
of Los Angeles would be the first
city on the Pacific Coast, with its
three roads, and that it would eclipse
San Francisco in a short time. The
amendment was voted out.

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[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
ALBUQUERQUE (N. M.), Feb. 1.—
[Exclusive Dispatch.] The widow of
the late Walter C. Hadley, one of the
wealthiest and most prominent citizens
of New Mexico in his lifetime, has con-
tributed \$10,000 to the University of
New Mexico, located in this city. The
money is to be used toward the erec-
tion of a suitable building near the
University to be used for the scientific
study of the chemical and physiological
problems relating to the health-giving
climate of the New Mexican plateau.
A committee of citizens is now at
work endeavoring to raise an addi-
tional \$10,000 for the same purpose.
The Hadley laboratory, as it is to be
called, will be the first of the kind in
connection with any university in the
United States, and it is believed that
the results which will be obtained will
be of the greatest scientific importance.

PENSIONS TO CALIFORNIANS.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—[Exclusive
Dispatch.] Pensions were granted to-
day to Californians as follows:
Original—John C. Bram, Los Angeles,
\$8; Edward P. Wells, Pasadena, \$10;
George S. Hurd, San Diego, \$8; Daniel
McGrath, San Francisco, \$8.
Increase—Mabel F. Sidelinger, Grass
Valley, \$8 to \$10.
Original widows—Barbara E. Tedlock,
Colusa, \$8.

Points of the News in Today's Times.

[THE BUDGET—This morning's fresh telegraphic budget, received since dark last
night, includes the principal Associated Press (or night) report, many exclusive Times
dispatches, making about 20 columns. In addition is a day report, of about 13 columns—
the whole making a mass of wired news aggregating the large volume of 33 columns.
A summary of both telegraphic and local news follows:]

The City—Pages 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 14.
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facturers' trust...Colorado clearing-
house behind...Volume of Wall street
business...Important bankruptcy de-
cision...The Rhynland ashore...Presi-
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county passed—Attache question—New
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Senator...McKenzie's preliminary
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Francisco mining stocks...Shares and
money at New York.

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as they were fearful of a frost. The remarkably warm weather of the past week or two has brought out the buds at a rapid rate, and a freeze at this time would do incalculable injury to the fruit crop. All conditions at the present time are most favorable.

WEATHER THREATENING.
 [ASSOCIATED PRESS NEWS REPORT.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 1.—The weather was threatening today, but tonight there is no sign of rain. The temperature is much lower than for the last

week, and fruit men say it will not
back the fruit buds while it lasts.
Grain and grass are growing finely
thus far, but farmers agree that more
rain will soon be required.

TRACE AT FRESNO.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS-NIGHT REPORT.]
FRESNO, Feb. 1.—There has been
only a trace of rain here up to mid-
night, though there is every indication
of a heavy downpour tomorrow. Grain
in all parts of the county is doing
well, but would be greatly benefited by
a good rain. The warm weather for

the past week has caused fruit trees to bud in many places and it is feared that a frost following a rain at this time will do considerable damage.


ALL RIGHT AT SAN DIEGO.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 1.—It began raining here at 8 o'clock tonight. Rain is also reported from La Mesa and Es-

The present rain is greatly needed. There is a very large acreage of grain that is just up, and rain is needed to give it a good start. With a moderate precipitation now the immediate outlook for crops in this county will be very bright.

North Dakota's Divorce Law.
BISMARCK (N. D.), Feb. 1.—The House today passed the bill requiring residence of one year before a divorce can be secured. It had previously passed the senate.

ANNOUNCEMENTS—

 **in the history
of Los Angeles**

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GOOD NEWS FOR CALIFORNIA.

The report from Washington, to the effect that the Nicaragua Canal Bill is certain to pass the House is indeed good news for California. It means that the great interoceanic waterway is almost certain to be built, and under the auspices of the national government. This will insure its early completion, and its opening to the commerce of the world in the near future. The protection and the prestige of the national government will insure the success of the enterprise from the outset, and will remove it entirely from the field of speculative uncertainty.

The present Congress will do well to authorize the construction of the Nicaragua Canal under government auspices. It is one of the pressing necessities of the time. Nearly all parts of the country demand it. Considerations of national defense demand it. The time is ripe for action, and further delay is impolitic if not dangerous. We have been talking about the construction of the Nicaragua Canal for half a century or more. The time has come when talk should cease and work begin.

The present Congress can leave no better legacy to the future than a law authorizing the construction of this great waterway, and providing the necessary funds for the certain completion of the work as speedily and as promptly as possible. The undertaking is one of the most important in the history of our country. Its successful inauguration and completion will redound greatly to the credit of the Congress and the administration which take such action as will make the successful consummation of the work possible. The present Congress and the present administration will win the commendation of history and the gratitude of the American people by making the construction of the canal a certainty, and by providing for it in such manner that there can be no doubt as to the completion of the work according to the best approved plans and specifications.

More than any other State in the Union, the State of California is to be congratulated upon the auspicious outlook for the construction of the Nicaragua Canal. While every State in the Union will be benefited, either directly or indirectly, by the construction of the canal, the imperial commonwealth of California will receive greater benefit than any other State, by reason of its geographical location, its exceptional resources, and its commercial importance. The construction of the Nicaragua Canal will mean everything to California. It will bring us nearer to the Atlantic seaboard, and to the eastern markets in general. Cheaper freight rates are the one thing needed, above all others, to insure prosperity to the industries of California. The Nicaragua Canal will supply this all-essential desideratum. This is one of the principal reasons why every citizen of California should do his utmost to promote the enterprise, and should favor it not only by speech but by practical work in every possible way. The glad tidings that the building of the Nicaragua Canal is virtually an assured fact should cause general rejoicing throughout the State. It is the best news that has reached us from the national capital, or from any other source, in many a day. Let us rejoice and be exceeding glad.

When Kansas isn't bleeding it is having a blizzard, and its latter state is worse than its first.

CHEWING UP THE FORESTS.

Among other public bodies, the American Newspaper Publishers' Association has taken up the important question of forest preservation. This is encouraging to those who take an interest in the preservation of our timber lands, for if the newspaper publishers of the United States set to work in earnest to advocate a cause, its success is well assured. The association has been influenced to take this action by the evidence which they have secured of the effect that the reckless destruction of the forests is likely to have upon the supply of wood pulp, for paper making. This is not a phase of the question which interests the people of California very deeply, but any interest which is aroused in the question of forest preservation must result in good for the country at large, both in the way of saving timber and preserving the water supply for irrigation.

In a circular, issued by the association, it is shown that forest fires are causing an annual loss of \$20,000,000. Meantime, pulp mills and saw mills in the four States of Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont and New York are eating up the forests at the enormous rate of 1700 square miles per annum. The latest records of the Geographical Survey show that the low-water level of our important lakes and rivers has been declining steadily for the last ten years, reaching their lowest point in the year 1898, and that the decline of the water level on Lakes Huron and Michigan is especially noticeable. Many lakes in the northwest have entirely disappeared. In New Hampshire, at the present rate of cutting, the State Forestry Commission has said that the entire forest resources of the State would be exhausted in twelve years. Others have fixed eight years. Lumbermen at that State cut everything down to six inches at the stump, so that there is no reproduction of growth.

Vermont has already reached a point where it can barely supply its home demand. The State of New York, by constitutional amendment, has prohibited the cutting of timber of any kind in a territory covering four thousand square miles for a period of twenty years. In the year 1894 the State of New York took a determined stand against the destruction of its forests, by setting aside the Adirondack Park, which contains 2,807,760 out of 5,888,803 acres of available spruce area in the State.

The effect of the denudation of the forests upon the water supplies of communities may be instanced notably in the case of the city of Philadelphia, which is now looking for a new source of supply, because of the stripping of the timber in the headwaters of the Schuylkill River, which has furnished that city's supply.

A circular issued by the Publishers' Association concludes with the following strong statement of the case: "The present wasteful method will inflict upon the agricultural interests of the country an injury which will be felt in every part, and which in the mountainous regions threatens to become disastrous and irremediable. It will bring upon some sections all the calamities experienced from the same causes in Europe and Asia. A distinguished Secretary of the Interior has said it will sacrifice the agricultural interests, and in the course of time make our valleys unfit for the habitation of men."

It is high time that the United States should adopt a systematic and practical method of preserving the forests from destruction, such as all the leading countries of Europe have enforced for centuries.

A CALIFORNIA BONANZA.

If a gold field should be discovered in the United States which would produce an output of \$100,000,000 a year it would excite universal comment and astonishment, but comparatively little attention is paid by the mass of the people to the fact that we have, in the beet-sugar industry, a bonanza which can easily be made to produce an amount equal to the total sum now sent abroad every year for sugar, which is nearly \$100,000,000. California is specially interested in this subject, because experience has shown that sugar beets may be raised in this State containing a very high percentage of saccharine matter, while the mildness of the climate permits of a working season much more extended than that which is possible in the east of Europe.

There are at present in Southern California three beet-sugar factories in operation, and one other under construction, in the northern part of Santa Barbara county. The large profits which have been made in the beet-sugar business have attracted the attention of many eastern and European capitalists to this opening of investment, and a year ago several deals were under way which would have resulted in the construction of two or three more large factories in this section. Then came the war with Spain, which made investors cautious, and after the war, when it was known that the United States would retain Porto Rico, and would perhaps annex the Philippine Islands, there was fear that sugar might be admitted into this country free of duty from those islands, and investors were afraid to look at anything in the shape of sugar enterprises. This fear has been removed by definite information from Washington to the effect that the sugar and other productive industries of the country will certainly be protected, when tariff regulations for the former possessions of Spain are fully decided on.

Such being the case, we may anticipate a noteworthy development of the beet-sugar business during the present year, especially in view of the fact

that money is at present so plentiful and cheap. A special dispatch from New York, published in THE TIMES yesterday, states that two banking firms have formed an American company, which contemplates the purchasing of all the beet-sugar plants west of the Mississippi River. The company has a capital stock of \$20,000,000. It is added that the beet-sugar plants which the company takes at once are those at Grand Island, Neb.; Norfolk, Neb.; Chino, Cal., and Hueneme, Cal. The last-named is the big factory at Oxnard, in Ventura county, which had its first run last year. This news, if authentic, is of much importance to Southern California. Such a company would, doubtless, not remain content with the existing factories, but would construct others. There is plenty of room in the seven southern counties of Southern California for a score or more of large sugar factories like those at Chino and Oxnard, and they would do much to place the agricultural industry of this section on a thoroughly substantial basis, by giving us a staple and profitable crop, for which there is a practically unlimited market.

THE TIMES has believed, all along, that the peace treaty would be ratified by the Senate at the proper time, or, rather, after a certain amount of Senatorial eloquence (so-called) had been expended on the subject. The proper time, really, for the ratification of the treaty was within a week after its presentation to the Senate. The logic of the situation demanded its prompt ratification then, as it demands it now. The delay which has ensued has been mischievous in its results, encouraging the Filipino insurgents to make a show of resistance to the inevitable, which they will have cause to regret, in the not distant future. However, all is well that ends well. The ratification of the treaty when it comes up for action in the Senate on February 6, which now seems assured, will go far in the direction of remedying some of the mistakes which have been made.

Senator Morehouse's bill providing for the murder of editors very effectively murders the English language, whether it accomplishes anything else or not. It provides that: "When the killing is committed in the heat of passion by the wilful and malicious publication of libelous matter of any kind in a territory covering four thousand square miles for a period of twenty years. In the year 1894 the State of New York took a determined stand against the destruction of its forests, by setting aside the Adirondack Park, which contains 2,807,760 out of 5,888,803 acres of available spruce area in the State."

The men in the Legislature of California who are holding fast to U. S. Grant, and thus resisting the unholy ambition of an offensive boss to represent this people in the nation's Senate, are doing the State God's own service. Let there be no shadow of turning in their resolution to defeat the purpose of this nefarious politician, whose name is a byword and whose conduct is a reproach to all that is noble and upright.

A second and enlarged edition of Henry I. Sheldon's "Notes on the Nicaragua Canal" has just been issued from the press of A. C. McClurg & Co., Chicago. Mr. Sheldon went to Central America for the express purpose of examining the conditions connected with the canal from a business point of view. These "notes" are elaborated from his report. The work is illustrated and contains much valuable information.

There doesn't appear to be a thing the matter with the horse show, nor the girl show, either, for that matter. Both are right up to the mark, and the looker-on may take his choice as to which he likes the better—the beauteous and beaming girl or the noble steed.

The San Francisco Chronicle well says that: "Deadlocks cost money but are cheaper than railroad Senators." And, as might well be added, far less disgraceful considering the character of the man that the railroad is trying to elect to the Senate from California.

Should you observe that the shooting galleries are crowded with newspaper men do not be surprised. They are simply preparing and practicing to meet the inevitable should the bill offered by Senator Morehouse become a part of the law of the land.

The action of the Police Commission looking to the strict enforcement of the saloon laws is to be commended. Every law on the statute books of the land should be enforced or repealed. There is no other course open to a law-abiding people.

To hear the railroad touts, heeled and paraded about corrupt methods in elections, when, were it not for such methods they wouldn't be eating, is really quite as amusing as to see a monkey, clad in red trousers, climbing a pole.

Not the least amusing thing to be seen and heard in these days is the organs of the Southern Pacific corruption shop plattitudinizing about the use of money in political campaigns. Really, it is enough to make a horse laugh.

The cold wave is reported as moderating in the East. It now being down to 30 deg. below zero, at Williston, N. D. Possibly the easterners may be able to withstand further moderation without serious objection.

The Pasadena News in its editorial correspondence from the State Capitol says: "THE TIMES' Sacramento corre-

spondence regarding the investigation has been full and fair." This hardly bears out the charge made by certain jaundiced contemporaries that this great religious daily has been guilty of "suppressing the news."

California desires, of all things, the election of a Senator to succeed the Hon. Stephen M. White, but its people insist that he shall not be a man who will disgrace the State and degrade a high and honorable office.

The hope of Dan Burns is in a caucus. The hope of the people is in no caucus. The men in the Legislature who are true and honest know just what to do under such a circumstance as this.

Should the bill of Senator Morehouse for the free and unlimited killing of editors become a law, we have some curiosity to know whom the gentleman from Santa Clara proposes to go after first.

Bee-keeping is an industry of much importance in Southern California. This subject is considered in its various phases in an article in the third part of the Midwinter Number of THE TIMES.

The Isabella mine at Cripple Creek makes the Klondike look like a cancelled postage stamp. And the beauty of it is one may live at Cripple and continue to eat and to wear felt.

The phrase, "De mortuis nil nisi bonum"—concerning the dead nothing but good—is not being applied extensively with reference to Keely, the man of motor fame.

Somebody should be generous enough to send Mr. Bryan a slice of that raw and cheese-like gold from the Isabella mine, merely as a reminder.

Probably some of our legislators introduce fool bills in order that their constituents may realize that they, the aforesaid statesmen, are still on earth.

The Legislature ought to take time to pass a law that will abolish the slot machine, if they do nothing else during the rest of the session.

Secretary Alger's anxiety that Gen. Bagan shall escape the punishment he deserves will not increase the respect of the people for himself.

Speaker Wright has given the Republican party of California a harder job than the Democrats have ever given it in all its born days.

That Isabella mine is likely to prove a regular case of gold cure for the free and unlimited coinage of silver habit in Colorado.

To abandon the Philippine Islands now would be to promote a Kilkenny cat fight with some \$3,000,000 of cats in the contest.

THE PROPOSED SUNDAY LAW.

Personal Liberty of the People Should Be Jealously Guarded.

[Oxnard Courier:] Senator Simpson of Pasadena has introduced a bill for a Sunday law, evidently based upon the Indiana Consistent law. The present report gives the following summary:

"The bill makes it a misdemeanor to compel any person to work on Sunday, except in 'works of necessity and mercy.'"

It is also made a misdemeanor for any person to keep open on Sunday any store, workshop, banking-house, real estate office, barber shop, laundry, wash house, market, bar, saloon, tobacco stand, or any kind of business stand or place of business, or to publicly hawk or sell Sunday newspapers or vegetables.

The punishment is a fine of not less than \$5 nor more than \$100, or imprisonment for not less than twenty days, or both fine and imprisonment.

"Retail druggists are allowed to fill prescriptions on Sunday, but not on that day to sell tobacco, cigars or opium, or any kinds of intoxicating drinks or beverage for common use."

It is such measures as this that keep the American people alive to the fact that they must never sleep on their rights. Personal liberty was a right which this government was established to give and maintain, but it is constantly being threatened, and from a source that makes it all the more to be feared. It is the line of the so-called dangerous class, against whom society and the individual is constantly on guard, but that class to whom we are bound to refer as the better element. It is the so-called moral and ultra religious class that seeks constantly to force their views and their practices upon the community. Intolerance has taken a different form in this generation, but it is the same spirit prompting such legislation that exiled Roger Williams, lighted the fires of persecution and burned witches at Salem. Such legislation must be condemned by all liberal, fair-minded people, whatever their views upon religion and Sunday observances may be. The Courier believes in both, but does not propose to enforce either fine or imprisonment upon our neighbors who entertain different opinions. The drastic nature of the proposed legislation is sufficient to insure its defeat.

These are matters which should be left to public sentiment, for, without a strong public sentiment in support of them, legal enactments are a dead letter, and the law simply adds to the misdeeds or crimes of which the community is or may be guilty. With a strong public sentiment in their favor, legal enactments are unnecessary. No class are more amenable to the influence of public opinion than business men, and no merchant or other bidder for patronage will keep open on Sunday in a community which is opposed to it.

It is a mistaken idea to suppose that such sumptuary laws are an indication of moral advancement and high civilization. It is, in fact, an admission that the people are incapable of self-government in the simplest things of life. New Mexico, which, in spite of the fact that it possesses the requisite population and taxable property in excess of several of the newer States, Congress has repeatedly declared unfit for Statehood, has a Sunday law, from which Senator Simpson might have taken his cue. It is equally sweeping and drastic. Of course, it is a dead letter, except where public sentiment makes it unnecessary, and elsewhere it only furnishes an opportunity to blackmail business men just before the session of each grand jury. It is to be hoped that California is not going to ape New Mexico.

THE MIDWINTER TIMES.

"Immense in Proportions" and "Gotten Up in Masterly and Artistic Manner." [Philadelphia (Pa.) Bee:] Eastern journalism will have to look sharply to its laurels or the enterprising spirit that is showing itself in the journalism of the Great Pacific Slope will outstrip it. We are led to say this by way of expressing our admiration of the Midwinter Number of the Los Angeles Times, a copy of which has just reached our sanctum. It is not so much in proportions, but it is gotten up in a masterly artistic manner. It is a beautiful sheet enclosed with a handsome cover in colors and in reading matter, there is hardly any end to it. The illustrations throughout are very fine and graphically depict the land of flowers, fruit and asubrious climate. In fact, the reader needs but little more to reach a full conception of this most delightful country, and that little is trip to see it.

The Times has our thanks for the favor extended, and the assurance that we do not feel in the least jealous of the enterprising spirit shown by our friends on the Pacific Coast. On the contrary, we wish them "a God speed" in their efforts to make better known the land.

Where the citrons bloom
Midst shady leaves the golden oranges gleam."

Evidence of Enterprise. [Jacksonville (Ill.) Journal:] The Midwinter Number of the Los Angeles Times has been received at the Journal office, and it is certainly a strong evidence of the enterprise and prosperity of that great western paper. There are over ninety pages in addition to the handsome cover in colors, and the reading matter gives all sorts of information about California.

"One of the Handsomest." [Beaver City (Utah) Blade:] The Los Angeles Times is one of the handsomest New Year's numbers we have seen this year. Besides the regular issue of twenty-seven columns, there are ninety-eight pages of highly interesting matter, profusely illustrated, a glance at which makes us more anxious than ever to see Southern Utah brought into direct relation with this beautiful city of Southern California.

A Valuable Number. [Joliet (Ill.) Record:] The Midwinter Number of the Los Angeles Times is upon our table, and it is a huge affair, not only in size, but in the great quantity of readable matter it contains. It is beautifully illustrated throughout, giving many scenes and views of the city and its surroundings. It is a valuable number, and shows much enterprise in its publication.

"Much Valuable Information." [Lehi (Utah) Banner:] We have recently received a splendid edition of the Los Angeles Times, which contains much valuable information concerning that city and the Southern California counties.

"A Beauty." [Indiana (Pa.) Democrat:] The Midwinter Number of the Los Angeles Times has been received at this office, and it is a beauty. It is composed of 118 pages of reading matter and half-tone cuts and a fine colored cover.

"A Wonderful State." [Toledo (Ill.) Express:] The Midwinter Number of the Los Angeles Times, reached our exchange table this week. If California possesses anything near the diversified climate and natural advantages therein set forth, it is a most wonderful State.

"Of Great Advantage." [Salt Lake (Utah) Tribune:] The Midwinter Number of the Los Angeles Times has a brilliantly colored cover, and comprises excellent and properly selected portions of the business and resources of that city and its surroundings. The number cannot fail to be of great advantage to Los Angeles, and indeed, to the whole of Southern California.

LETTERS TO THE TIMES.

[The Times freely publishes the views of correspondents on timely topics, holding itself responsible for opinions thus expressed. Letters should be brief, plainly stated, and signed by the writer, and vouchered for. No attention is paid to anonymous contributions. Cut it short; the space now it is won by insertion in full, extracts will be printed.]

That High-priced Carnation. D. R. WOODS, East Side Park: Referring to the sensational telegram from Boston about \$20,000 being paid for a new variety of carnation named Mrs. Thomas Lawson, allow me to say there is no truth in the report. It being a shrewd free advertisement for the entire stock of the carnation was \$4000 by an Illinois floral concern. This offer was not accepted by the originator, who under date of January 17 states that he will not offer any plants for sale until the spring of 1900, and declares that the newspaper report is entirely misleading and absolutely false.

"Stick to the Right Way." MRS. E. J. WILKS, El Rio: I cannot resist the temptation to express my regard for U. S. Grant as it runs along the line of his father's course. By his actions he shows that he intends to stick to the right way or "fight it out" on this line if it takes all summer. Fighting on this line is the same as fighting one's country from harm or disgrace. May God make his heart strong.

A WOMAN'S QUESTION.

Do you know you have asked for the costliest thing Ever made by the hand above—A woman's heart and a woman's wonderful love? Do you know you have asked for this priceless thing As a child might ask for a toy—Demanding that others have died to win With the reckless dash of a boy?

You have written my lesson of duty out: Man-like you have questioned me; Now stand at the bar of my woman's soul Until I have questioned you.

You require your mutton shall always be hot: Of four socks and your shirt shall be hot: I require that your heart shall be true as God's stars, And pure as heaven your soul.

You require a cook for your mutton and beef: I require a far better thing: A seamstress 'you're wanting' for stockings and shirts— I look for a man and a king.

A king for a beautiful realm called Home, And a man that the maker, God, Shall look upon as he did the first, And say, 'It is very good.' I am fair and young, but the roses will fade From my soft young cheek some day: Will you love me then, 'mid the falling leaves, As you did 'mid the bloom of May?

Is your heart an ocean so strong and deep I may launch my all on its tide A loving woman finds a heaven or hell, On the day she is made a bride.

CALIFORNIA'S BLACKLIST.

Here are the names of the men who are voting day after day in the Legislature for the election of Dan Burns, the man with a record, to the Senate of the United States. They are here plainly printed, that their consciences and fellow-citizens may remember who they are in the years to come. The Times will help them to remember:

SENATORS.
BETTMAN, San Francisco.
BURNETT, San Francisco.
BOYD, San Francisco.
LAIRD, Shasta.
LEAVITT, Alameda.
SHORTIDGE, Santa Clara.
WOLFE, San Francisco.

ASSEMBLYMEN.
ARNERICH, Santa Clara.
BARRY, San Francisco.
BEECHER, Shasta.
COBB, San Francisco.
DEVOTO, San Francisco.
DIBBLE, San Francisco.
HENRY, San Francisco.
JILSON, Shasta.
JOHNSON, Sacramento.
KELLEY, Alameda.
KELSEY, Santa Clara.
KENNELLY, San Francisco.
LUNDQUIST, San Francisco.
M'KENN, Alameda.
MILLER, San Francisco.
PIERCE, Yolo.
RICKARD, San Francisco.
EUGENE SULLIVAN, San Francisco.
WRIGHT, Alameda.

THE TWO "BOSS."

One is a brute, and gives 'em all "Fits." The other a looser, but will cry "Quits." The first is a bully, during the law. The other a "Bully," who plays for a "draw."

One may perchance be "boss of the ring." The "ring" or the other will have to "boss" away.

Both are in training—both spoiling for fight!— And now are complaining they're not treated right! They think that the "boomers" should stand at their back, Regardless of rumors concerning the "sack." The first I've no use for, let him hammer away. He has his supporters to insure him fair play!

But Robert, I ween, you'd best drop out this minute! It's plain to be seen that you won't be "in it." You had better retire and give Grant his turn. For in playing with fire you will only get "burned."

And to have to submit to any such fate Would be a dishonor to you and the State. Such action on your part could not be overlooked. Your "political" "goose" would forever be "cooked." CAB.

The Battle of the Zebra Collars. [Kansas City Star:] The battle is raging in Kansas City over the new zebra collar, and the long-legged battalion of youth is getting into the works of conservatism. The outposts have already been driven in and the zebra blason is in possession of Feticot land. The ranks of the young and counting-rooms the youth who appears at his desk with the stripes about his neck does so knowing that he encounters the disapprobation of his employers. It is, alas, civil war, with parent against son and son against parent and employer against employed and employed against employer. The ranks of the storming party are fast swelling with the bravest youth in our midst, the same host that successfully conquered Kansas City for the russet shoe, the red necktie and the high standing cuff about the neck.

These zebra collar fascinate the youth. First they abhor, then they endure, and then they clasp them about their necks and join the storming party. Temporary victory has been won, and the enthusiasm runs high, but will the general assault be successful? Will the battalion, with its long, thin, striped line, be able to hold the San Hill this time and dictate surrender?

Experienced persons say the zebra collar is a bad. The red necktie had a long and fierce struggle for recognition, but it was the long-legged battalion of youth stormed the batteries of conservatism and planted the red standard proudly upon its flag. Now it is won by the men who looked upon it with aversion a few years ago. Will the battalion win this time? All of Kansas City is in a state of commotion. It is said that the zebra collar has no intrinsic value, like the red necktie and the yellow shoe, and no bad cause can win even with the bravest of partisans. Hence the zebra collar may be futile, like the black silk handkerchief campaign of a few years ago.

A REMARKABLE CAT.

It Smokes After Dinner and Enjoys a Drink of Beer. [Chicago Inter Ocean:] William Thompson of Glenwood, Pa., has the most remarkable cat in Pennsylvania. The cat came to Mr. Thompson's home one stormy night a year ago. He looked so forlorn that he was taken into the house. The cat was so affectionate that he was adopted.

After a while the cat betrayed a strange fondness for the smoke that Thompson puffed from his pipe. It became so noticeable that Thompson's father regularly shared his after-dinner cigars with the cat, giving him the smoke.

For a joke a cigar was put into the cat's mouth one day, and, to Thompson's great astonishment, the cat sat up on his hind legs and puffed away complacently. There was only one drawback to his success. His teeth were so sharp that they bit off the end of the cigar.

Mr. Thompson had a wooden cigar holder made for Thomas, and now he is able to indulge his taste for tobacco.

Another remarkable feature of the cat is his ability to drink beer without disagreeable effects. Beer now forms one of the chief articles of the cat's diet.

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The Times

THE WEATHER YESTERDAY.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Feb. 1.—(Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecast Official.) At 5 o'clock a.m. the thermometer registered 39.8; at 5 p.m., 57.7. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 51 deg. and 52 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 87 per cent.; 5 p.m., 62 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., east, velocity 2 miles; 5 p.m., southwest, velocity 13 miles. Maximum temperature, 55 deg.; minimum temperature, 49 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level.

DRY BULB TEMPERATURE.

Los Angeles 50 San Francisco 41
San Diego 54 Portland 28

Weather Conditions.—The storm which appeared yesterday in British Columbia has developed into a trough of low pressure, that extends to Arizona, and which is causing cloudy and unsettled weather in Southern California, and rain or snow in the coast and mountain sections northward. The temperature has fallen with these conditions, the parallel. Freezing weather is reported from Washington and Oregon, with general snow. Extremely cold weather prevails east of the mountains, where the temperature ranges from zero to 21 deg. below.

Forecast.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Generally cloudy and unsettled tonight, but without rain; partly clearing Thursday afternoon, though with considerable clouds; no material change in temperature; southerly, veering to westerly winds.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 1, 5 p.m.—Weather conditions and general forecast: The following are the seasonal rainfalls to date, as compared with those of same date last season, and rainfall in last twenty-four hours:

Stations—	Last twenty-four hours.	Season.	Last twenty-four hours.	Season.
Barro
Red Bluff
Sacramento
San Francisco
Fresno
San Luis Obispo
Los Angeles
San Diego
Yuma

San Francisco data: Minimum temperature, 40 deg.; maximum, 45 deg.; mean, 46 deg.

The pressure has risen, except along the central and southern coast of California. It is lowest off the Oregon coast and highest over Montana. It has risen rapidly over Oregon, Washington and the plateau region. The temperature has fallen in all districts. The weather is generally cloudy over the entire Pacific Slope. Light rain or snow has fallen in all districts except Southern California and Arizona. Conditions are favorable for partly cloudy and somewhat threatening weather in California Thursday.

Forecast made at San Francisco for thirty hours, ending midnight, February 2:
Northern California: Partly cloudy and threatening Thursday, with showers on northwest coast; continued cold, fresh southwest wind.
Southern California: Partly cloudy Thursday; colder; fresh west winds.

Arizona: Cloudy, with snow in north portion Thursday; colder.
San Francisco and vicinity: Partly cloudy and somewhat threatening Thursday; continued cool, fresh southwest wind.

ALL ALONG THE LINE.

Railroad prospectors have again been in Pomona seeking a right-of-way, and the citizens expect to find themselves living on the line of the Terminal electric road one of these days.

The gratitude of the average hobo was illustrated at Santa Barbara the other day, when one was given a good dinner, and during the following night showed his appreciation by returning and stealing a ham and two rolls of butter from his benefactors.

That sample of rain that fell in some parts of the city last evening may serve as a technical fulfillment of the weather man's prediction of "occasional light rain," made Tuesday night, but the people of Southern California are in good humor for practical jokes of that sort just now.

San Bernardino and Redlands are both jubilant in the hope that the proposition to connect those places by an electric car line will soon be carried out. It is safe to say that the time is not many years distant when this line will be but a link in a chain of such lines connecting a large number of the towns of Southern California.

The headlights on the Los Angeles and Pasadena electric cars are rivaled only by the World's Fair searchlight on Echo Mountain. The citizens of Pasadena do not object to having the company light their streets, but they do object to being blinded by lights which throw a glare from Raymond station to the Pantages, and a protest has been filed with the City Council.

The attention of the Supervisors of San Bernardino county is called to the fact that between 12,000 and 15,000 people, a large proportion of them tourists, visited the Chamber of Commerce in this city during the month just past. Can San Bernardino county afford to withdraw its exhibit from among those of other Southern California counties and conceal it from the view of 400 or 500 persons every day on account of the trifling amount it costs to maintain it here.

HAD A SNAP.

How an enterprising individual worked the Chinese.

Some person signing himself as "G. W. Smith" has for the past few days been working the Chinese vegetable peddlers in the southern and western sections of the city. He goes up to a vegetable peddler and asks his name. Then he writes the name in a receipt book, tears out the receipt, hands it to the Chinaman and demands \$1 for January license. Of course, the Chinaman has paid his January license, but that makes no difference; when the Chinaman demurs the man shows a star and says: "All right, you come go with me to the City Jail." The Chinaman doesn't understand what it is all about; he knows he has paid his license, but he doesn't want to go to jail, even though he would be finally discharged, so he pays the dollar, goes on about his business, and "G. W. Smith" lays for another victim.

Yesterday complaints of the man's work began to come into the office of Chief of Police Glass. Ray N. Peon Chew, pastor of the Chinese Presbyterian Mission, called on the Chief and showed him one of the receipts issued by the alleged "G. W. Smith." It reads: "No. 307, January 28, 1919. Received from J. Lim \$1, veg. Jan. G. W. Smith."

The Chief has instructed his men to be on the lookout for the pretended license collector, and if he continues his operations he will soon grace a seat in the police court docket.

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FORESTS ARE SACRED.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE WILL BATTLE FOR RESERVATIONS.

Commissioner Peck and His Efforts for a Larger Paris Exposition Appropriation are Supported by the Board of Directors—Banquet Arrangements Progressing.

Southern California's forest reservations are far too sacred to the interests of the State to be opened to sheep herds. At least so thinks the Chamber of Commerce, and if that body can exert any influence on the Secretary of the Interior, sheep will not be admitted to the reservations.

Resolutions to this effect were adopted at a meeting of the board of directors of the chamber yesterday afternoon. Resolutions of hearty endorsement of Commissioner-General Peck of the Paris Exposition were also passed. They complimented the commissioner on his success in securing to this country a greater share at the proposed exhibition in Paris in 1900 than has been given any other foreign country, and requested Congress to support Mr. Peck's efforts to secure a greater appropriation for the United States exhibit. These resolutions, with another set, requesting the City Council to take steps to hasten the work of constructing the Third-street and Broadway bridge, made up a greater part of the business attended to by the board of directors.

Arrangements for the coming banquet of the chamber, an invitation to which has been accepted by Gen. Shafter, were reported as progressing. On the suggestion of the committee of nine appointed to propose plans for entertaining the National Educational Association the president of the chamber was instructed to appoint three members to serve on the Executive Committee, which has the entertainment in charge.

A communication from Hon. William Wood, including a copy of the Assembly bill amending the County Government Act, empowering the County Treasurer, Assessor and Tax Collector to perform the same duties as municipalities within the same counties, was referred to the Committee on Law and Legislation. An amendment to the bill now before the Assembly, empowering the Board of Supervisors to appropriate money for exhibition purposes, was accepted at the suggestion of the Sacramento Chamber of Commerce. The original bill was framed by the local chamber.

All knowledge of a petition to the Legislature protesting against the proposed reduction of the salaries of county officials, or authority for its circulation, was denied by the directors, and the secretary was instructed to give notice to the author of an inquiry on this subject. Among the communications referred to the Law and Legislation Committee was one from the San Pedro Chamber of Commerce, which inclosed an act creating a board of three State Harbor Commissioners for the port of Wilmington and the bay of San Pedro.

After hearing a report by Prof. W. L. Watts, field assistant in Southern California of the State Mining Bureau of the work he had done in Southern California during the past year, the directors adopted resolutions that the mining bureau ought to be maintained by a sufficient appropriation.

Home industries came in for a share of support during the transactions of the board, when resolutions were adopted to the effect that if the bill passed Congress authorizing the laying of a Pacific cable to Honolulu, Japan and the Philippine Islands, it should contain a provision that the material used in the manufacture of the cable should be made by American manufacturers and in this country.

The resolutions relative to Commissioner Peck and the Paris Exposition, after reciting the work already accomplished, and the benefits which will accrue to California and the West, closed with the following:

"Resolved, that this chamber heartily indorses the efforts so far put forth by the commissioner-general of the United States to the Paris Exposition; that we congratulate him on the success of his preliminary work, and further that we hereby solicit our representatives in Congress to cooperate with him in any effort on his part calculated to advance the most complete exhibit of the United States resources, arts and industries at the Paris Exposition of 1900."

The action of the board of directors in passing resolutions about the admission of sheep to the forest reservations of Southern California was inspired by the action of the National Live Stock Association at its convention held in Denver last week, where resolutions were passed appealing to the Secretary of the Interior for the admission of sheep into the western forest reservations. The necessity of protecting the mountain watersheds in brush and forest, that floods may be prevented and water saved for irrigating purposes, was pointed out in the resolutions, copies of which will be sent to the Secretary of the Interior and Congressional representatives of this district.

In addition to transacting a good deal of routine business, the directors accepted an invitation to the members of the Chamber of Commerce to witness the plucking of the birds at the South Pasadena ostrich farm February 22.

R. H. Herron, oil well supplies and Dr. Wilbur A. Hendryx were elected to membership of the chamber. Those who were present at the meeting yesterday were Directors: Forman, Groff, Mathews, Newberry, Slauson, Stewart, Story and Vetter.

Arbitrators Meet and Adjourn.
Owing to the illness of Col. George H. Mendell, the water arbitrators adjourned immediately upon convening in the Council chamber at the City Hall yesterday morning. It was at first decided to adjourn until Friday, but Col. Mendell was so much improved yesterday afternoon that a meeting was called for 10 o'clock this morning.

Succeeded the Eighth Time.
CHICAGO, Feb. 1.—During the last three years Mrs. Amelia Lutz of this city has repeatedly attempted to commit suicide by hanging herself. Each time her husband has cut the rope and rescued her, but today she made the eighth attempt and succeeded. Lutz is a contractor and at one time was wealthy. During the World's Fair, however, he lost his fortune and brooding over this fact unbalanced the woman's mind.

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ARIZONA NEWS.

PIMA COUNTY'S RAILROAD BOND INCUBUS.

Nogales Wants to Be the Seat of a New County—Improvements at Arizona King Camp—General News Notes.

TUCSON (Ariz.) Jan. 30.—[Regular Correspondence.] About sixteen years ago Pima county voted an issue of bonds in aid of a narrow-gauge railroad, projected to connect Tucson with the copper mining camp of Globe, 100 miles northward. The railroad was commenced, two locomotives, small and antique, and a few cars were brought from the East, and about seven miles of scrap iron were laid northward. The road's promoters managed to get possession of \$250,000 of the bonds voted for subsidy. Then construction stopped. The bonds ever since have passed from hand to hand, at some sort of value, and the taxpayers of the county have been afflicted with the nightmare of this dubious debt, not fraudulent, but a late decision of the Supreme Court of the United States appears to suggest that the holders of the bonds, and the county is preparing for an active fight when another demand is made for payment. C. W. Wright and Rochester Fortney have been retained to defend the county, at a minimum fee of \$2500. Meanwhile, the Legislature, on motion of its Pima county members, has passed an act specifically declaring these bonds fraudulent, invalid and void.

The long-delayed term of the Court of Private Land Claims is now sitting in Tucson. Many of the cases called are simply on rehearing. Most of the work of the court is in New Mexico. In Arizona are few Mexican or Spanish grants. Really the only very important case was that of the Gila and Salt River valleys. It is a matter of late history how this suit terminated in the imprisonment of a judge on charges of fraud and forgery. Now pending are suits that affect slightly over a half million acres of grazing ground in Southeastern Arizona. The court in Arizona has thus far confirmed private claims to 77,000 acres, and rejected claims to 1,000,000.

Though only sixteen months old, Pima Tribe, No. 10, of Red Men, is in the strongest of health, with a membership of 148, and with \$100,000 in assets. This amount, it is proposed, shall be used as a nucleus of a building fund, following the example of the Red Men, whose construction of a lodge hall has proven a thorough financial success. The Red Men celebrated the last installation of a new lodge, and a smoker and banquet. Over three hundred members and guests attended. The visit of the legislative investigating committee to the Pima tribe, which was made an occasion of considerable ceremony. The visitors were received by the chief and his council with military honors. Welcoming addresses were made in the assembly hall by President Parker and Chancellor William Herring. The committee, under the inspection of the buildings, grounds and equipment of the institution, the visitors were made the city's guests, and were treated with the same attention to the time of their departure for Phoenix.

Prof. F. Y. Adams of the university has been coming to give up his work, having been summoned East by a telegram that announced the serious illness of his wife in New York.

The students of the university have established a college monthly, "Sage Green and Silver." W. A. McBride is editor-in-chief, with a large corps of assistants.

M. P. Freeman is now president of the Tucson Board of Trade. To the retiring president, Hugo L. Donahue (declined reelection), was tendered a vote of thanks for his able management. Fred Friedman, the new vice-president, and S. E. Hazard are continued as secretaries.

Bravagel Moody is in Tucson, nightly crowding the opera house. He goes to Los Angeles, making a stop of a day at Yuma, there to speak to the prisoners at the Territorial penitentiary.

March 1 will be completed the new flouring mill of the Eagle Milling Company. The most modern machinery is being installed in the new building, which has been erected next to the Southern Pacific tracks. The mill will be the largest in the territory, and will be supplied with wheat from the Salt and Gila River valleys.

Under all the more important streets new water mains and sewer lines are being laid for the operation of the new high pressure system that is being installed.

There is not a single case of smallpox in Tucson. A suspect who has been held isolated for a fortnight has been released, and the case is closed.

Three thousand acres of the old Camp Grant reservation on the San Pedro River have been sold by the officials of the local land office under instructions from Washington. The land, which is mainly valuable for grazing, brought about \$1.25 an acre.

William L. Davis, a childhood resident of Tucson and lately a student in the State University at Berkeley, Cal., has taken up his residence in Los Angeles. He will be connected with the Los Angeles National Bank.

NOGALES SEEKS INDEPENDENCE. Hunting for a New County—General News Notes.

NOGALES (Ariz.) Jan. 30.—[Regular Correspondence.] A determined effort is to be made in this Legislature to create the county of Papago, with this city as its seat of government. The idea, which appears to be meeting with little opposition in Tucson, is locally being advanced through a desire for economy. In and about Nogales is a population exceeding 5000, almost wholly isolated from the rest of Pima county. To refer to a term of the District Court or to attend a session of the County Board of Supervisors necessitates an expensive journey of 140 miles by rail, or down the Santa Cruz stage coach, seventy miles or more. The discomfort has become unbearable, while the expense for mileage is enormous. A strong lobby will be sent to Phoenix to push the measure already introduced by Assemblyman Stevens.

It is claimed that 100,000 acres of land in the vicinity of Nogales are illegally fenced. Such is particularly the case on the Calabazas and Nogales de Elias grants, both of which have been declared invalid by the Court of Private Land Claims. A local paper advises the stockmen and all who are injuriously affected to band themselves together and remove the fences, with show and use of arms, if necessary.

The establishment by the two governments of a close highway 125 miles wide, through Nogales has necessitated important changes in the depot accommodations of the twin corporations, the New Mexico and Arizona Railways and the Sonora Railway. The large structure at East Benson formerly used for the general offices of the system has been reconstructed and enlarged. A new international line, and a smaller structure placed along the track, across the border, on Mexican soil. The buildings have been fitted up especially with a view to facilitating the work of the revenue officials of both republics. Under the new arrangements it is expected smuggling will be materially checked.

Nogales Odd Fellows have commenced the construction of a lodge room and business edifice that will cost about \$5000. The structure will be of brick, with sandstone arches.

Marshal Bird, the first Rough Rider to receive a pension, enlisted from Nogales, where his father, A. T. Bird, is editor of the Weekly Oasis. The lad was the last recruit accepted at Whipple Barracks, and was the first man hurt in the regiment. His horse dashed him into a tree at San Antonio, Tex. The pension, \$72 a month, is for almost complete physical and mental disability.

Mariano Ascarerra is now the Mexican collector of customs at this point. Señor Ferreras, his predecessor, having been promoted to the collectorship of the port of Portofino Diaz.

AT ARIZONA'S GATEWAY. Fatal Accidents at a Mining Camp. Water to Be Piped to King Camp.

YUMA (Ariz.) Jan. 30.—[Regular Correspondence.] The California police of Yuma, aided by Bishop Bourgeois of the diocese of Arizona, will soon begin the erection of a handsome place of worship.

At Fortuna camp last Monday Josefa Ortega, a feeble-minded Mexican girl, fell into an open fireplace and was so burned that she died, though brought to Yuma and given every possible medical assistance.

At Fortuna, also, last Monday, Hun Marable, a young man well known and highly esteemed, committed suicide by shooting himself through the head.

An unfortunate love affair is believed to have been the cause.

A large amount of steel is daily arriving for the new bridge across the Colorado at this point.

Seven silver-lead claims at Castle Dome on the Colorado have been leased by Frank Vomicil to William D. Luce of Yuma under a royalty of 20 per cent.

Plans have been completed whereby the King of Arizona gold camp, north-east of Yuma, will be supplied with water pumped from the Castle Dome mines. The pipe line will have an uphill grade for four miles, then running to the King camp, twenty miles.

The mill and cyanide outfit attached to the Venus mine in Pachu district have been purchased and are now being moved to the King, to be used for work when the pipe line is completed.

Robert Tapia is a new Town Councilman of Yuma, especially elected to fill a vacancy on the council.

Legislators Goldberg, Woolf, Parr, Benham and Adams spent several days of last week in Yuma, officially investigating the case of the territorial receipt and ball were tendered them at the Southern Pacific Hotel.

A DELAYED CELEBRATION. Driving the Golden Spike in the Globe Railroad.

GLOBE (Ariz.) Jan. 30.—[Regular Correspondence.] The smelters of the Globe Copper Company, which have been closed down, awaiting a better understanding with the new railroad, and the completion of the line to the furnaces of the company. Meanwhile the town is full of idle men.

Active work is in progress, however, on many other important copper mines, and the expectation is that in 1930 Globe will lead in production all the copper camps of the Territory. Among the many who have come in anticipation of the new railroad are the Howard brothers, who will practice law, and B. S. Hays, who will start a mercantile business.

The first train of the new railroad from Bowie, which was to have occurred February 1, has been postponed till February 15, at which time, it is positively stated, President Garland will be on hand from Los Angeles to drive the golden spike.

King Uteley of Tonto Basin is again in the clutches of the law for horse stealing. Only lately he was acquitted in Prescott of a charge of stealing an amalgam from a placer of the local mill. Uteley, who is one of the gentlest mannered of men, has his chiefest notoriety from the way in which he held up the Globe stage near the mouth of the Colorado, and made away with a couple of bars of silver bullion. At the time expert trackers followed him across mountain ranges to his "Camp Bowie," but even then were unable to locate him, though it was known he was concealed in a cave not far from his mother's home. He was finally being by an associate, and for the crime spent several years in the Territorial penitentiary. His latest illegal exploit was the theft of a drove of ponies from John Cline, a brother-in-law.

BEFORE JUSTICE AUSTIN. A Full Docket in the Police Court.

Vincenzo Latilla, formerly a Southern Pacific employe, was in the Police Court yesterday charged with petty larceny. Harry White, a special watchman for the Southern Pacific Company, being the complainant. White alleged that on Tuesday night Latilla and a companion named Manuel Espina were in the railroad yard on San Fernando street, near a pile of coal; that Latilla went to the pile, picked up a chunk of coal and disappeared with it into a shanty. White went to Espina and asked him the name of the man who had taken the coal, and upon his refusal to give it, placed him under arrest "for evidence," as he explained yesterday in court. He then went to the house and arrested Latilla. In the Police Court Latilla acknowledged that he had taken a piece of coal to his house, but said that he picked it up in the yard, and not from the coal pile. He was fined \$3, which he paid, and Bonina was discharged.

Jesús Chavez, who was also arrested by Harry White, had picked up two sticks of wood which were alleged to belong to Uncle Collins, and was fined \$1 for it.

Pedro Preciado, who, on Tuesday acknowledged taking a railroad tie for firewood, under stress of great necessity, he having a sick wife at home and no money to buy wood, was given a suspended sentence of thirty days.

Robert Halley, the young man who, at the instance of his employer, had been refused a license to drive a car, was fined \$1 straight, without the alternative of imprisonment, which means that he can pay or not, he chooses.

Matt Turner, Ed Daniels, Ben Morris, FOR colds, Woolcott's Bourbon, 1/4 quart.

Boston has been 180,000 packages short in supplying the demand for Grape-Nuts.

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New buildings and new machinery have been added as rapidly as possible and immense quantities of the famous food have been hurriedly shipped to the various supply points. The factory has been run day and night for six months or more.

We are pleased to be able to announce that the new buildings and machinery are now in use, turning out enough Grape-Nuts to supply all demands promptly. Grocers have had a reason heretofore to say: "We can't get Grape-Nuts," but that time is past. Any one who cares for good food, wisely select, should use Grape-Nuts at breakfast.

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"Proper selection of food prevents the need of drugs." Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., Battle Creek, Mich.

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I am fifty-eight years old. For several years I had had indigestion and liver complaint and was very much troubled with constipation. I employed different physicians and tried different medicines, but only received temporary relief. I had to give up my business on account of my poor health, and just attend to the work on my small lot, and that was more than I felt able to do. Early in the summer I saw an advertisement of Ripans Tablets in the Bucks County Intelligencer. I did not have much faith in them, but finally decided to give them a trial, and purchased a box and commenced taking them. Before I had taken half of the Tablets I began to improve, and by the time I had taken all of them I was so much improved that I felt like another man. I have continued their use, and I am gaining daily in health and strength. Now I can do the work on my lot with ease, where it used to be a burden to me. I can speak only in praise of the Tablets, and would recommend them to all persons who are ailing.

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City Briefs.

Parties visiting the horse show who desire daintily cooked meals, with fine service in a comfortable well-heated dining-room at minimum prices, must not fail to call at the Royal Baking Powder restaurant, between First and Second streets. Fine orchestra daily during dinner.

Of interest to men—C. M. Staub Shoe Co., 255 South Broadway, are closing out several lines of men's shoes at cut prices. A double sole tan shoe, \$5 value, at \$4; a 4 calf shoe at \$3, a \$3.50 box calf shoe, \$2.75.

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Universalist ladies serve hot New England dinner to clerks, tourists and others today from 11:30 till 2, at 125 1/2 South Spring.

The ladies will find S. Benioff, the ladies' tailor, at 330 S. Broadway, under Friday Morning Club Hall.

Lowest prices, opals, drawwork, carved leather, Field & Cole, 349 Spring. 1c shells for 5c this week only. Winkler's Curios, 346 S. Broadway.

Chief of Police Glass received inquiries yesterday from the relatives of Mrs. Clara, or Mrs. E. X. Kirby.

Postoffice Inspector M. H. Film returned yesterday from a business trip to Ventura, Santa Barbara, Montecito and Sumnerland.

Jerry Shieds, aged 11, and Bert V. Vinger, aged 12, ran away from the home yesterday. The police were notified to be on the lookout for them.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union Telegraph Company's office for Nannie O'Neill, J. Marshall, Dan Stephens, A. W. Boggs.

A Highland, janitor at the Y.M.C.A. building, yesterday reported to the police that some one had entered his room and stolen a set of chess, two chessmen, iron plane, four auger bits, one oil stone and one wood mallet.

Mr. Coleman, proprietor of the Berlin One House on South Broadway, yesterday reported that his little girl, Eleanor, aged 4 years, left home about 8 o'clock yesterday morning. Up to midnight the child had not been found.

A. F. Sloper, whose skull was fractured several days ago while moving a house, died yesterday morning at the County Hospital. The remains were removed to Garret's undertaking parlors, where Coroner Holland will hold an inquest this morning at 9:30 o'clock. Sloper leaves a widow and two children.

Woo Hop Ping, who is charged with being in this country illegally, will be given a hearing before United States Commissioner Owen March 1. The Chinese, who is said to have jumped the border from Mexico, was arraigned yesterday, but the case was continued until the defense might secure evidence in depositions.

The monthly meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Young Men's Christian Association will be held at the association parlors this afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. F. M. Dowling will address the meeting. Next Monday evening Prof. W. S. Stevenson gives an illustrated lecture before the association on "Scotland in Song and Story."

Auditor Pickett, a salesman of Hartford, filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States District Court yesterday afternoon. He admits indebtedness of \$1275, and makes a schedule of property valued at \$1000, all of which he claims is exempt from attachment. The voluntary insolvent is represented by Attorneys Rowen Irwin and Miller & Pendegast.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.
Marriage licenses were issued yesterday as follows:

Fred M. Hazlett, a native of Canada, aged 32 years, a resident of Los Angeles, and Harriet M. Martin, a native of Wisconsin, aged 20 years; also a resident of Los Angeles.

Victor Gustave Linsenbard, a native of Missouri, aged 24 years, a resident of Los Angeles, and Martha E. Klesling, a native of Oregon, aged 19 years, also a resident of Los Angeles.

James Kerr, a native of Scotland, aged 33 years, a resident of Clearwater, and Dora Wurtz, a native of Germany, aged 28 years, a resident of Los Angeles.

George Abner Milner, a native of England, aged 46 years, a resident of Los Angeles, and Mrs. Annie Fryer, a native of England, aged 49 years, a resident of Pasadena.

William Glenn Hambright, a native of Pennsylvania, aged 21 years, a resident of Los Angeles, and Fannie B. Dunn, a native of Michigan, aged 21 years, also a resident of Los Angeles.

BIRTH RECORD.
MARSH—January 30, 1899, to the wife of Robert Marsh, No. 244 South Hill, a daughter.

PRESTON—In Highland, to the wife of H. R. Preston, a daughter, on January 30, 1899.

MARRIAGE RECORD.
BRADLEY—PROBERT—January 31, 1899, by Rev. W. R. Goodwin, D.D., Charles H. Bradley and Miss Edith E. Probert, both of Chicago.

EDDY—WILLIAMS—January 31, 1899, by Rev. W. R. Goodwin, Fred J. Eddy and Miss Maggie M. Williams, both of Los Angeles.

KEELE—HARRATT—On January 31, 1899, at residence of the bride's parents on Sutter street, Mr. H. H. Keele and Miss Edith Harratt, by Rev. W. A. Lamb, assisted by Revs. Field and Crosswell.

DEATH RECORD.
MARBONNE—At her residence, No. 511 Burlington avenue, January 30, 1899, Mrs. Margaret B. Marbonne, a native of New York, aged 69 years.

Funeral from the Presbyterian Church, Wilmington, Cal., Wednesday, February 1, at 3 p.m., Interment Wilmington Cemetery.

AKASAKA—In this city, January 30, 1899, A. Akasaka, a native of Japan, aged 34 years.

Funeral services will be held at the parlors of Brosse Brothers Co., Sixth and Broadway, on Wednesday afternoon, February 1, at 4 o'clock. Friends are invited to attend. Interment Evergreen Cemetery.

SMITH—At No. 726 1/2 South Spring street, January 31, 1899, Adeline Smith, aged 71 years 5 months and 19 days.

The funeral services will be held at the parlors of Dexter Samson, No. 523 South Spring street, Thursday, February 2, 1899, at 2 p.m. Friends are invited to attend.

WILSON—Wednesday, February 1, 1899, Mrs. A. A. Wilson, aged 67 years.

Funeral from residence of her daughter, H. G. McGraw, No. 114 West Seventh street, Friday, February 3, at 2:30 p.m.

KINSON—At his late residence, No. 679 West Third street, Wednesday, February 1, 1899, Prof. John Dickinson, in the 75th year of his age.

Funeral from residence at 10 o'clock Friday. Friends and members of the Academy of Music invited.

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Events in Society.

[Communications intended for the society columns of The Times must be signed, and must be written on only one side of the page. Anonymous announcements of society events, persons, etc., and those which, because they are written on both sides of a page, have to be rewritten, will receive no attention. The society columns of the Sunday Times are closed at 6 p.m. on Saturday.]

Mrs. E. F. Spence and her daughter, Miss Kate Spence, entertained a few friends at luncheon yesterday at their home on South Olive street. The affair was complimentary to the brides of the season, their friends and the Misses Gregston of Chicago. The centerpiece consisted of an immense bouquet of daffodils, violets and maidenhair fern, arranged in a tall cut-glass vase. The guests were: Misses Walter Barnwell, Charles Dick, E. W. Fleming, George Sinsabaugh, Perne Johnson, Archibald McCutchen, Clarence Hall and the Misses Elizabeth Shankland, Lila Fairchild, Helen Fairchild, Grace Gregston and Adelaide Gregston of Chicago.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hughes gave a luncheon Tuesday afternoon at her home in St. James Park, complimentary to Mrs. J. H. Montgomery and her daughter, Miss Agnes Montgomery of Brantford, Can. Mrs. Hughes was assisted by her daughters, Mrs. J. H. Shoemaker and Mrs. Josephine Butler. The centerpiece was a silver cut-glass vase filled with white carnations and maidenhair fern and placed on a handsome mirror. At either end of the table was a vase of carnations and ferns. Violets were scattered over the cloth and individual bouquets were placed before the guests. The early part of the afternoon was devoted to the good of the order, followed by refreshments in the dining-room.

Mrs. J. E. Hartell entertained the ladies' auxiliary to the O.R.C. Monday afternoon at her home on East Washington street. The hall and parlor were decorated with white, violets, ferns and potted plants. The early part of the afternoon was devoted to the good of the order, followed by refreshments in the dining-room.

Mrs. Lou V. Chapin delivered the second of her American citizenship series of current events at the Los Angeles Business College yesterday afternoon to a large and appreciative audience. The Samoan and Philippine questions and all matters bearing upon the current history of the day were fully discussed.

Mr. and Mrs. John Chanslor and daughter, Miss Birdie Chanslor, have returned from a two weeks' visit with friends in San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. David Skillman Murray of Salt Lake City are guests of Mrs. Murray's twin sister, Mrs. Jack Jenne. They will remain in Los Angeles until Saturday.

The Ladies' Guild of St. John's Church will give a social this evening in the guild room. A musical and literary programme has been prepared and a large attendance is promised.

J. P. Howe, from the Yellow Aster mine, Randsburg, is spending a few days with his family on Avenue 32.

Mrs. E. K. Shibley of New York is visiting at Dr. Weeks's, No. 1324 Newton avenue.

The Misses Couch gave a birthday party to Miss K. M. Hull of Chicago, Friday, January 27, from 2 to 5. A number of little folks were there.

Mrs. Samuel Sweetland and Miss Anna E. Watson of Lowell, Mass., are visiting in this city at the home of Rev. and Mrs. George M. Smith, No. 995 West Thirty-second street.

Midnight Blaze.
The explosion of a coal oil lamp at the residence of A. E. Sykes (colored), No. 762 Ceres avenue, about 12 o'clock last night set fire to a mattress. An alarm from a neighboring box was turned in before the flames had time to make any headway, and the firemen, under the direction of Assistant Chief Smith, soon extinguished the blaze. Twenty or thirty dollars will cover the loss.

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